"Mrs.Pinkham. Saved me from an Operation."

The Southern Holds its Agent Responsible for Them.

DLD WOMAN PLEADS GUILTY;

be Elks Preparing for a Grand Parade nad Theatrical Performance-Oat Crop Killed. and Wheat Crop Not Much Better, Tobacco Crop Nearly All Sold.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.) DURHAM, N. C., March 14.-The robvery of the safe in the Southern Railway dicket office Sunday evening, March 2d, is still an unsolved mystery. The railroad is demanding of J. E. Lee, the then ticket agent, that he make the loss sood, because he had not turned over the money to the cashier according to orders. Lee, who is now in Atlanta, Ga., denies argy responsibility in the premises, and in this morning's Herald there is crimination and recrimination by both Lee and the railroad authoritics. The end is not yet.

THE CIVIL COURT.

The spring term of Durham County Civil Court is to convene here Monday, the 17th, with Judge Walter H. Neal on the bench. It is a two weeks' term, but the docket is short, and will probably be disposed of the first week.

The mother of Van Fuller, colored, mention of whose sentence in the Orange County Court this week to thirty years

in the penitentiary, gesterday plead guilty as an accomplice, and was given twenty years. She is quite old, and not likely to live out the sentence.

Farmers from all the contiguous ter-ritory report that the fall seeded oat, crop has been entirely killed by the hard winter, and that they are now plowing up and resowing the land. Wheat is also materially damaged.

THE TOBACCO SALES.
Tobacco receipts are falling off, and dealers estimate that fully nine-tenths of the 1891 crop of this section has been

a grand parade, theatrical performance and banquet here on March 26th.

The first instalment of the 1902 "Directory of Greater Durham" has been received and delivered. Its classified census gives, with suburbs, 16,997 popu-

DAY IN THE POLICE COURT.

Woman Accused of Buying Furniture on the Installment Plan and Seiling It. Charges that Emma Henderson, alias

Ida Bell Henderson, has made her living a -and a comfortable one-by the purchase, of furniture on the installment plan and the sale of this furniture immediately afterwards, were made in the Police Court yesterday. The woman is now serving a sixty-day sentence for doing something of this kind, and yesterday a new charge, some \$50 being involved, was made against her. The case was referred to the Hustings Court.

Barnes Ferguson was fined \$10 for fast driving. Frank Borgman and Joe Conners, two white boys up as vagrants, were discharged with a warning to get out of town. W. H. Cousins, a negro vagrant, got sixty days for begging. Then came Jeromiah Boykin again, this being the came Jeromiah Boykin again this being the came of came Jeremiah Boykin again, this being his second appearance in two days. First he was up as a vagrant, and on his story of being a Confederate veteran he was discharged. He celebrated the event by setting drunk, and to-day got twenty days for this latter offense.

When Robert Allen came to the bar the Court saw for the first time in some moons a distinct and pronounced case of the wiggles. Allen had been drinking heavily for some time and is now a nervous wreck. The Court thought that thirty days would fix him up all right again. Samuel Lumford, a well known police character, stole a shoe brush and got fifteen days for it.

Negro Under Arrest as Suspicious Character-With Policy Slips in his Pocket,

Reuben Fry got into trouble yesterday afternoon over an old grate that a boy wanted to sell him. He had the grate in his possession when Officer Johnson saw him, and knowing it to be a suspicious thing to see a negro with an old grate he arrested him. When Reuben was searched at the, First Station by Officer Jos Zimmer a,

number of policy slips were found on his What are they?" asked Mr. Zimmer.

"I found um in some rags," said Reu-"Funny things to find in rags," said

"Not so very funny," said Reuben.

heuben will be investigated by Justice John this morning. He was admitted to ball by 'Squire McCarthy, who is running. for re-election in Jackson Ward. Lecture on Dynamite.

Rev. Dr. John Hannon, paster of Union Station Methodist Church, will lecture at the Third Presbyterian Church Thursday, math. March 20th, for the benefit of the Fran fund. His subject will be "Dynamite."

Transfers of Property.

Richmond: W. B. Hewlett and wife to M. A. Ryder, 21 10-12 feet on south side of Church Hill Avenue, \$1,700. Sarah M. and William S. Jones to H. A. McCurdy, 20 feet on south side of Duval Street, 184 feet east of Price Street,

John H. Rogers, administrator and heir ef John T. Rogers, decased, and Lucy Ellen Rogers, to Mary Etta Brown, 40 feet on south side of Grove Avenue, 75

feet east of Morris Street, \$5.000.

J. D. Wilkes to R. T. Styll, 1-4 interest in estate of Carrie L. Petrea, de-1 reased, consisting of 16 1-2 feet on north, aide of Cary Street, No. 330 W., \$425.

Henrico: John A. Hansck's trustee and Fife to Sol Cutchins, 45 acres on the Three Chop road about 7 miles west of

Donald McRae and wife to W. B. Btrother, 56 feet on north side of Cary, northwest corner Vine Street, \$1,816. Roney Nicholas and wife to Lewis IL Mundin, 30 feet on east side of Twenty-first Street, between Q and R Streets,

Samuel P. Waddill, clerk, to the Tax Title Company of Richmond, 20 feet on west side of Thirty-second Street, 295 feet south of S Street, in name of Bart-

of Twenty-sixth Street between R and

PARKER'S HAIR BALSAM these and beautifies the has

S Streets, in name of Jesse Jackson, for Street, in name of W. E. Robinson, for Street, in name of Pago Robinson, for eral Street, in name of Edward Mitchell

MR. THOMAS TO LOCATE HERE

Other Representatives of the Imperial to Come to This City. The Tobacco World.

According to information received in this city, Mr. A. F. Thomas, of Lynchburg, who, along with Mr. Wellford C. Freed of this city. Riced, of this city, was appointed to represent the Imperial Tobacco Company resent the Imperial Tobacco Company in this country, will remove to this city and will establish himself here. He has soid out his place in Lynchburg and is preparing to make a change in his residence. It is understood that he will come here to-morrow, though hardly to settle here so soon. This will probably be a preliminary visit, with a view to securing residence, office, &c.

The determination of Mr. Thomas to

The determination of Mr. Thomas to tocate here casts more mystery than ever over the plans of the Imperial Company with reference to this country. When he and Mr. Reed were appointed it was thought that the two would divide the territory between them, Mr. Reed looking after Virginia and the Carolinas and Mr. Thomas the West, or vice versa. This arrangement seems to be knocked in the head by Mr. Thomas' action in locating here. It may be, however, that he will undertake to conduct the, Western busines from this point. One thing seems to be signified by the coming of Mr. Thomas to this city, namely: That Richmond will in reality be the American headquarters of the Imperial.

The number of visitors in town yester day was unusually large. Some of them have come in for the purpose of conferring with Mr. Reed, the representative of the Imperial Others are here on bus-iness. Among those who were here yes-terday were the following: Mr. James A. Henderson, of Danville; Mr. Kersey, of Maxwell & Co., Danville; Mr. Watt Martin, of Wilson, N. C.; Mr. R. H. Harris, of Louisa; Mr. W. L. Clerk, of Winston, N. C.; Mr. R. F. Knott, of Oxford; Mr. T. S. Williamson, of Danville, and others. The sales on the Richmond breaks yes

The sales on the Richmond steaks yesterday were of a fairly good order. The entire breaks amounted to 108,000 pounds. Sun-cured tobacco is suffering a slight decline brought on by several causes: The quality of the tobacco is not the best, the American Tobacco Company is not buying so heavily, and the manufacturers are pretty well filled up. Warehousemen are hopeful that the drop is the result of the ordinary fluctuation of the trade, and that prices will advance again. It is understood here that the tobacc

folk of Danville are more or less disgusted tolk of Danville are more or less disgusted that the Imperial Tobacco Company of Great Britain and Ireland should establish headquarters in Richmond, appointing as representatives one Richmond man and one Lynchburg man, thus ignoring Dan-ville completely.

Whether or not Danville and the other

. Whether or not Danville and the other markets are to get representatives is not yet known. In its current issue the Danville Tobacco Journal says: "The next proper step for the Imperial Tobacco Company to take is the establishment of a plant on the Danville market, the main supply point for tobaccos suitable for the expert trade."

A leaf department will be established by the Butler & Bosher tobacco manu-facturing ocmpany in the large building facturing ocmpany in the large building near Twentieth and Franklin Streets, now occupied by W. A. Smith & Co., representatives of Mr. Thomas Gallaher, the big tobacconist of Belfast, Ireland Mr. A. St. Clair Butler has recently purchased the place, which will be vacated by the present occupants about the first of April or chortly thereafter.

1 Mr. Gallaher is in Richmond now. The was on the breaks vesterday

was on the breaks yesterday and was not in a very talkative mood when asked about his plans for the fu-ture. Up to this time he has not yet decided with reference to his plant at this

As stated above he will have to vacate his present quarters very shortly and establish himself elsewhere. Whether he will buy, build, or rent is as yet unde-termined. It is even possible that he may move his factory away from this point.

Mr. Linwood Jones, of North Ave. and Roberts Street, has left for Petersburg.

Va. He will be gone some time.

Mrs. W. S. Gooch, and her sister, Miss Carrie Anderson, of Miller School, Albernarle County, Va., who has been visiting Mrs. J. R. Bowles, of Barton Ave., have returned to their hours after a very

returned to their home, after a very pleasant visit

Mrs. H. King and Miss Virginia Hoge, of Ealtimore, Md., neices of the late, Mrs. Mary E. Wayne, of Barton Heights, but formerly of Baltimore, Md., who came on to attend the funeral of Mrs. Wayne, left Thursday, accompanying the remains to Baltimore, Md., where the interment will be made

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Miss Carrie Jacobs, who has been visiting Miss Langley, of Monteiro Ave, has returned to her home on Church Hill.

Mrs. S. P. Jones, of Luck Ave, is visiting her sister in Manchester. Va.

Mr. DePrairie, wife and children of Charleston, West Virginia, are here to attend the funeral of his sister, Miss Andels DePrairie.

Audrie DePrairie

Miss Maria Magruder, who has been visiting Mrs. Garland B. Taylor, of Lamb Ave. and Dove Street, has left for Ports-mouth, Va. to visit friends and relatives.

Fulton Notes.

A horse belonging to Fred. H. Garber took fright in Sixth Street, Fulton, Mon-day, and turned into Denny Street with maddened haste. He was, however, brought to a standstill in Williamsburg Avenue without injury to himself or the wagon to which the animal was hitched. Edward Higgins, of Fulton, has returned from Ohio, whither he went to attend the funeral of his father, who died in Sandusky, O.

Mr. T. Davy McMahon, of No. 491 Louisiena Street, is mourning the loss of a pet dog, which was killed by an electric car Thursday. Mr. McMahon prized the dog very highly, as he was a sagacious canine and was credited with doing almost everything but conversing in English.

Bishop Going to Belglum.

Bishop Van de Vyver will leave the city on Monday and will sail on Wednesday for Heasdonck, Belbium, his former home, where he has been called by the serious illness of his brother. He will be gone for several weeks. During the ab-sence of Bishop Van de Vyver Bishop Cur-tis, of Baltimore, one of Cardinal Gibbons' assistants, will preside over the dio-cese. Bishop Curtis was formerly bishop of Wilmington, Del., and is a man of unusual culture and refinement.

The Colored Methodists.

At the Annual Conference of the Colored Production of the Colored Prod returned to Leigh-S reet Church, this city, for another year. At Asbury the Rev. J. R. Davis will be succeeded by the Rev. P. T. Thomas. The former pastor of Asbury goes to Salem, Va.

Annual Meeting of Post A.

The annual meeting of Post A, T. P. March 2nd, at 8 P. M., at which time new officers will be elected for the ensuing year, and delegates appointed to the State Convention, which meets in of the year.

WHENCE THIS MIGHTY HEALING POWER

All the Land Wonders at the Remarkable Cures Effected by Professor Adkin.

Heals Diseases Called Incurable

Ministers, Doctors and Professional Men Tell How He Has Cured the Blind, the Lame, the Paralytic and Many on the Very Brink of Death.

FREE HELP FOR THE SICK.

Professor Adkin Offers to Help All Sufferers From Any Disease Absolutely Free of Charge-Professional Men lavestigate His Powers.



PROF. THOMAS F. ADKIN,

In all parts of the country men and women, doctors and surgeons, clergymen and educators are wondering at the remarkable cures made by Professor Thomas F. Adkin, discover of the Adkin Vitaopathic treatment.

Professor Adkin heals not by drugs, nor by Christian Science, nor by Osteopathy, nor by Hypnotism, nor by divine healing, but by a subtle psychic force of nature in combination with certain vital magnetic remedles which contain the very elements of life and health.

A reportor recently talked with Professor Adkin, and was asked to invite all readers of this paper who are sick or who are worried by the lils of those dear to them to write to him for assistance. "Some people have declared," said Professor Adkin, "that my powers are of God; they call me a divine healer, a man of mysterious powers. This is not so. I cure because I understand nature, because I use a subtle force of nature to build up the system and restore health, But at the same time I believe that the Creator would not have given me the opportunity to make the discoveries I have made nor the ability to develop them if Ho had not intended that I should use them for the good of humanity. I therefore feel that it is my duty to give the benefit of the science I practice to all who are suffering. I want you to tell your readers that they can write to me in the strictest confidence if they are troubled with any kind of disease, and I will thoroughly diagnose their cases and prescribe a simple home treatment which I positively guarantee to effect a complete cure, absolutely free of charge. I care not how serious their cases, now how hopeless they may seen, I want them to write to me and let me make them well. I feel that this is my life's work."

So great is the sensation wrought in the medical world by the wonderful cures performed by Professor Adkin that several professional gentlemen were asked to investigate the cures. Among these gentlemen were Doctor L. B. Hawley and Doctor S. Dutton Whitney, both famous physicians and surgeons. After a thorough and painstaking investigation these eminent physicians were so astounded at the far-reaching powers of Professor Adkin and the wonderful efficacy of Vitaopathy that they volunteered to forsake all other ties in life and all other kinds of treatment and devote themselves to assisting Professor Adkin in his great work for humanity. With the discovery of the Adkin Vitaopathic treatment eminent physicians are generally agreed that the treatment of disease has at last been reduced to an exact science. agreed that the treatment of disease has at last been reduced to an exact science. In all some \$,000 men and women have been cured by the powers of Professor Adkin. Some were blind, some were deaf, some were paralytics, scarcely able been cured by the powers of Professor Adkin Some were deaf, some were paralytics, scarcely able to move, so great was their infirmity. Others were afflicted with Bright's discase, heart disease, consumption and other so-called incurable diseases. Some were sufferers from kidney trouble, dyspepsia, nervous debility, insomnia, neuralgia, constipation, rheumatism, female troubles and other similar ills. Some were men and women addicted to drunkenness, morphine and other evil habits. In all cases Professor Adkin treats he guarantees a cure. Even those on the brink of the grave, with all hope of recovery gone and despaired of by doctors and friends alike, have been restored to perfect health by the force of Vitaopathy and Professor Adkin's marvelous skill. And, remarkable as it may seem, distance has made no difference. Those living far away have been cured in the privacy of their own homes, as well as those who have been treated in person. Professor Adkin asserts that he can cure anyone at any distance as well as though a stood before them.

Not long ago John Adams, of Blakesbury, Iowa, who had been lame for twenty years, was permanently cured by Professor Adkin without an operation of any kind. About the same time the city of Rochester, N. Y., was startled by the cure of one of its oldest residents, Mr. P. A. Wright, who had been partly blind for a long period. John E. Neff, of Millersburg, Pa., who had suffered for years from cataract over his left eye, was speedily restored to perfect sight without an operation. From Logansport, Indiana, comes the news of the recovery of Mrs. Mary Eicher, who had been practically deaf for a year, while in Warren, Pa. Mr. G. W. Savage, a noted photographer and artist, who was not only partially blind and deaf, but at death's door from a complication of diseases when used in combination with the averence with the combination wi

from a complication of diseases, was restored to perfect health and strength by Professor Adkin.

Vitaopathy cures not one disease alone, but it cures all diseases when used in combination with the proper remedies. If you are sick, no matter what your disease, nor who says you cannot be cured, write to Professor Adkin to-day, tell him the leading symptoms of your complaint, how long you have been suffering, and he will at once diagnose your case, tell you the exact disease from which you are suffering, and prescribe the treatment that will positively cure you. This costs you absolutely nothing. Professor Adkin will also send you a copy of his marvelous new book, entitled "How to Be Cured and How to Cure Others." This book tells you exactly how Professor Adkin will cure you. It fully and completely describes the nature of his worderful treatment. It also explains to you how you yourself may possess this great healing power and cure the sick around you.

Professor Adkin does not ask one cent

you.

Professor Adkin does not ask one cent for his services in this connection. They will be given to you absolutely free. He has made a wonderful discovery and he wishes to place it in the hands of every sick person in this country that he may be restored to perfect health and strength. Mark your letter personal when you write, and no one but Professor Adkin wh.. see it. Address Professor Thomas F. Adkin, office iti L. Rochesten, N. Y.

Operations Avoided.

When a physician tells a woman suffering with ovarian or womb trouble that an operation is necessary, it of

course frightens her. The very thought of the operating table and the knife strikes terror to her heart.

And our hospitals are full of women who are there for ovarian and womb operations!

It is quite true that these troubles may reach a stage where an operation is the only resource, but such cases are much rarer than is generally supposed, because a great many women have been cured by Mrs. Pinkham's medicine after the doctors had said the operation must be

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been very successful in curing ovarian troubles. In fact, up to the point where the knife must be used to secure instant relief, this medicine is certain to help.

Ovarian troubles are easily developed from womb troubles, and womb troubles are so very common that ovaritis is steadily on the increase among women. It is, nevertheless, a most serious trouble, and to recommend wrong treatment for it is a crime for which there cannot be too deep a penalty.

It is, therefore, with full consciousness of the seriousness of the disease and the steady failure of other medicine to cure it, that we present for ovarian and womb trouble Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound as the most certain to help of any medicine in the world to-day. Any person who could read the letters in Mrs. Pinkham's files at her office in Lynn, Mass., would be convinced of

the efficiency of Mrs. Pinkham's Compound. The strongest and most grateful statements possible to make come from women who have escaped the operating table by the use of this medicine. Let any woman suffering from these troubles, or anything which may develop into them, write and get Mrs. Pinkham's advice. If you are beyond the reach of the medicine, you will be frankly told so, but, if not, you will be fully and carefully

and kindly advised. The most serious of all the diseases of women, as well as the miner ills, are promptly overcome by

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Earnest Words of Gratitude.

"Dear Mrs. Pineham:—Your Vegetable Compound has completely cured me of the worst form of womb trouble, and made me a strong, healthy, robust woman. Before using Lydis E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, I suffered with severe pains in back and side, headache and nervousness. Menses would sometimes and nervousness. Menses would sometimes occur every two weeks, and once I had a severe hemorrhage which lasted a month. I was confined to my bed and the attending physicians told me I would have to undergo an operation as soon as I was strong enough. I read in one of your little books several testimonials from ladies who were cured by your Compound after having been told by their doctors that an operation was necessary, and I made up my mind then and there to commence taking your Compound. I did so and it has completely re-

stored me to good health. I have gained twenty-two pounds since taking it and my flesh is as MRS.ANNIE HARTLEY solid as a rock. My friends remark about the change in me. I am a living advertisement of what Lydia E. Piakham's Vegetable Compound can do, and have influenced many of my friends to try it, which has proved very gratifying in its results. I thank you for restoring me to health."—ANNIE HARTLEY, 209 S. Sangamon St., Chicago, IlL

ANOTHER OPERATION AVOIDED.

"Dear Mes. Pinkham:—I feel very grateful to you for the benefit I derived from your kind advice and remedies. I was troubled with a complication of female troubles, had ovaritis, painful and irregular menstruation, leucorrhœa, nervousness, and weakness. I had no appetite and could not sleep nights. The least exertion would cause shortness of breath and dull pains in my hips and side. The doctors all advised me to have an operation and have one of my ovaries removed, but this I could not bear to think of. I was induced to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and after taking the first bottle I was much improved. It renewed my appetite, health, and strength. I continued taking it, also your Blood Purifier and Sanative Wash, until entirely great of all my troubles. The pairs have payed and entirely cured of all my troubles. The pains have never returned, and

my health is splendid. "Your remedies have been a boon to me, and I am sure many a woman owes her life to them."—MARIE WEBB, 356 Columbus Ave.,

"Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—I feel it my duty to publish the wonderful help Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has been to me. I was like a crazy person—could not eat or sleep; there was no rest for me day or night. Physicians examined me and said an operation was day or night. Physicians examined me and said an operation was necessary. Before undergoing it, however, I determined to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Compound. I am so glad I did, for it cured me. I am a well woman now and can do any kind of work. I want this published throughout the land, so that all my suffering sisters may read, and if in any way afflicted with female troubles, they may be induced by my sincere statement to try this wonderful Vegetable Compound and be cured."
—MRS. MARGARET BAMFORD, Centennial

MRS. ANNA ASTON

Ave., Crescent Beach, Revere, Mass. "Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—I wish to send you my testimonial stating the grand effect Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has had on my health. I was suffering to such an extent from ovarian trouble that my physician thought an operation would be necessary. Your medicine having been recommended to me, I decided to try it. After using several bottles I found that I was cured. My system was toned up and I suffered no more with my ovaries. Your medicine is the greatest boon on earth to suffering women." —MRS. ANNIE ASTON, Box 137, Troy, Mo.

Owing to the fact that some skeptical people have from time to time questioned the genuineness of the testimonial letters we are constantly publishing, we have deposited with the National City Bank, of Lynn, Mass., \$5,000, which will be paid to any person who can show that the above testimonials are not genuine, or were published before obtaining the writers' special permission.—Lydia E. Pineham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

taxes.

Same to same, 24 6-12 feet on south side of Jay Street, 176 feet east of Buchanan Street, in name of Alice Jones, for taxes.

Same to same, 15 feet on east side of Twenty-fourth Street, 14 feet north of R anna Street, in name of Alice Jones, for taxes.

Same to same, 15 feet on east side of Twenty-fourth Street, 14 feet north of R anna Street, in name of Thomas Robinson, for taxes.

Same to same, 26 feet on south side of New Bridge road between Twenty-sixth Holling Street, in name of Holling Street, in name of Respect to same, 20 feet on east side of Henry Robinson, for taxes.

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